

ELMWOOD CHARTER TOWNSHIP FEE ORDINANCE
Ordinance No. 2022-2

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH TOWNSHIP FEES

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD ORDAINS:

Section 1. Legislative Findings.

The Elmwood Charter Township Board hereby finds that Section 15 of the Charter Township Act, MCL 42.15, provides that the township board of any charter township may by ordinance provide for reasonable fees that the board considers necessary and proper. The Elmwood Charter Township Board, however, finds there is often a need to add fees and change the amount of those fees as circumstances may dictate. The Board further finds that establishing reasonable fees by resolution is a more cost-effective method of updating the necessary fees. Therefore, the Board finds that this Ordinance is intended to comply with the ordinance requirement of Section 15 of the Charter Township Act, while at the same time providing the Board flexibility in establishing the necessary fees by resolution.

Section 2. Establishment of Necessary Fees.

The Elmwood Charter Township Board is hereby authorized to establish and update from time to time by resolution reasonable fees that the Board considers necessary and proper in connection with processing zoning and nonzoning applications, holding public hearings, and providing various township services.

Section 3. Repeal.

The Elmwood Charter Township Ordinance 96-121, entitled Fees for Processing Zoning and Land Use Requests is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective the day following its publication by the Township as required by Section 8 of the Charter Township Act, MCL 42.8.

Ordinance No. 2022-2 was adopted on the 11th day of April, 2022, by the Elmwood Charter Township Board as follows:

Motion by: Trustee Lautner

Seconded by: O'Rourke

Yeas: Mikowski, Lautner, Allen, Darga, O'Rourke, and Shaw

Nays: None

Absent: Preston

Connie M. Preston, Clerk

Jeff Shaw, Supervisor

I certify that this is a true copy of Ordinance No. 2022-2 that was adopted at a regular meeting of the Elmwood Charter Township Board on April 11, 2022 and published in the Leelanau Enterprise on April 21, 2022. The ordinance is effective April 22, 2022

Dated: April 22, 2022

Connie M. Preston, Clerk